

# PUBLIC NOTICE

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#### MASS MEDIA BUREAU MULTIPOINT DISTRIBUTION SERVICE APPLICATIONS

Report No. D-926

May 14, 1997

By the Chief, Mass Media Bureau:

IN RE: APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED FOR FILING

The applications listed herein, upon initial review, appear to be complete and have been accepted for filing. The Commission reserves the right to return or dismiss any of these applications, if upon further examination, it is determined they are defective or not in substantial compliance with Commission Rules. <u>See</u> 47 C.F.R. Sections 21.20 and 21.26.

Final action will not be taken on any of these applications until the expiration of a period of 30 days following the date of this notice, except for microwave radio applications not requiring a 30-day notice period (see Section 309(c) of the Communications Act), or as otherwise noted. See 47 C.F.R. Sections 1.4 and 21.27. Unless specified to the contrary, comments or petitions may be filed concerning these applications within 30 days of the date of this notice, with the limited exception under 47 C.F.R. Section 21.902(i). See 47 C.F.R. Sections 21.30 and 21.902(i).

With regard to mutual exclusivity of these Multipoint Distribution Service applications, see 47 C.F.R. Sections 21.31. and 21.914. With limited exceptions, an application which is subsequently amended by a major change will be considered as a newly filed application for purposes of the "cut-off" rule. See 47 C.F.R. Sections 21.23 and 21.31.

For information on other microwave facilities, refer to Public Notices released by the Wireless Bureau.

#### <u>AIR HAZARDS CAUSED BY IMPROPERLY MARKED</u> & LIGHTED COMMUNICATIONS TOWERS

The Federal Communications Commission (FCC) has received reports of aircraft collisions with unlighted or improperly lighted communications towers. Accident reports and studies reveal that radio tower owners and FCC licensees need to be more aware of the need for conformance to FCC issued obstruction marking and lighting specifications.

When radio towers are greater than 200 feet in height and/or near an airport, the owner or licensee must apply for <u>FCC</u> issued obstruction marking and lighting specifications. During construction, temporary warning lights must be installed at the top of the structure, and at each level where permanent lights will be installed.

Licensees should insure that their towers are marked and lighted in accordance with the specifications on their permits. Daily inspections must be made to ensure that the lights are on and operating properly. Any variances must be approved by the FCC's Antenna Survey Branch (ASB).

If a light outage occurs which cannot be corrected within thirty minutes, the local FAA Flight Service Station (FSS) must be contacted immediately. The FSS will issue a warning to pilots. The FSS must also be notified when the lights are again operational so the warning may be rescinded.

The FCC intends to continue its close scrutiny of radio towers. Appropriate action, including issuance of fines and/or revocation of the station license, will be taken against the user or owner of any unauthorized or improperly marked radio tower.

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**New Station Applications Accepted for Filing** 

ARN	Non- Common Carrier	Latitude	Longitude	Ground Elev.	ВТА	Channel	Center of Rad.	Market Name	Winning Bidder	New Name (If Applicable)
BMDP970424SI	Χ	342148	971048	377.9	B019	Е	121.9	Ardmore, OK	Heartland Wireless Communications, Inc.	Heartland Wireless Commercial Channels, Inc.
BMDP970424SJ	X	342148	971048	377.9	B019	F	121.9	Ardmore, OK	Heartland Wireless Communications, Inc.	Heartland Wireless Commercial Channels, Inc.
BMDP970424SK	X	342148	971048	377.9	B019	1	121.9	Ardmore, OK	Heartland Wireless Communications, Inc.	Heartland Wireless Commercial Channels, Inc.
BMDP970424SL	X	342148	971048	377.9	B019	H1	121.9	Ardmore, OK	Heartland Wireless Communications, Inc.	Heartland Wireless Commercial Channels, Inc.
BMDP970424SM	X	342148	971048	377.9	B019	H2	121.9	Ardmore, OK	Heartland Wireless Communications, Inc.	Heartland Wireless Commercial Channels, Inc.
BMDP970424SN	X	342148	971048	377.9	B019	H3	121.9	Ardmore, OK	Heartland Wireless Communications, Inc.	Heartland Wireless Commercial Channels, Inc.
BMDP970428SO	X	394456	1045915	1594.1	B110	F1,F2,F3	229.8	Denver, CO	Digital and Wireless Television, L.L.C.	
BMDP970429SP	X	255815	801232	1.5	B293	2	296.6	Miami, FL	Satellite Microcable Corporation	
BMDP970429SQ	X	254623	802517	1.5	B293	2	143.2	Miami, FL	Satellite Microcable Corporation	
BMDP970502SR	X	323254	983047	331.3	B101	Е	319.4	Dallas, TX	Heartland Wireless Communications, Inc.	Heartland Wireless Commercial Channels, Inc.
BMDP970502SS	X	323254	983047	331.3	B101	F	319.4	Dallas, TX	Heartland Wireless Communications, Inc.	Heartland Wireless Commercial Channels, Inc.
BMDP970502ST	X	323254	983047	331.3	B101	H1	319.4	Dallas, TX	Heartland Wireless Communications, Inc.	Heartland Wireless Commercial Channels, Inc.
BMDP970502SU	Х	323254	983047	331.3	B101	H2	319.4	Dallas, TX	Heartland Wireless Communications, Inc.	Heartland Wireless Commercial Channels, Inc.
BMDP970502SV	Х	323254	983047	331.3	B101	H3	319.4	Dallas, TX	Heartland Wireless Communications, Inc.	Heartland Wireless Commercial Channels, Inc.

## MULTIPOINT DISTRIBUTION SERVICE (SINGLE & MULTICHANNEL)

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APPLICATIONS FOR TRANSFER OF CONTROL OR ASSIGNMENT OF LICENSE ACCEPTED FOR FILING:

50626-CM-AL-97 (WMH985) BAYPOINT TV, INC.

Application for authority to assign all authorizations for station WMH985 in OPELIKA, AL

FROM: BAYPOINT TV, INC. TO: WIRELESS ONE, INC. has been found,

upon initial review, to be acceptable for filing. The Commission reserves the right to return this application, if, upon further examination,

it finds the application is not in conformance with the Commission's Rules and policies.

Channel Group: F

50627-CM-AL-97 (WMH765) DOUBLE J CORPORATION

Application for authority to assign all authorizations for station WMH765 in GENEVA, NE

FROM: DOUBLE J CORPORATION TO: AMERICAN TELECASTING OF NEBRASKA, INC. has been found,

upon initial review, to be acceptable for filing. The Commission reserves the right to return this application, if, upon further examination,

it finds the application is not in conformance with the Commission's Rules and policies.

Channel Group: E

50628-CM-AL-97 (WMH768) SUVI, INC.

Application for authority to assign all authorizations for station WMH768 in GENEVA, NE

FROM: SUVI, INC. TO: AMERICAN TELECASTING OF NEBRASKA, INC. has been found,

upon initial review, to be acceptable for filing. The Commission reserves the right to return this application, if, upon further examination.

it finds the application is not in conformance with the Commission's Rules and policies.

Channel Group: F

50629-CM-AL-97 (WMH568) TALTON BROADCASTING CO.

Application for authority to assign all authorizations for station WMH568 in OPELIKA, AL

FROM: TALTON BROADCASTING CO. TO: WIRELESS ONE, INC. has been found,

upon initial review, to be acceptable for filing. The Commission reserves the right to return this application, if, upon further examination,

it finds the application is not in conformance with the Commission's Rules and policies.

Channel Group: E Channels: E3

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By the Chief, Mass Media Bureau:

In re: Multipoint Distribution Service (MDS)

(Single and Multichannel)

#### APPLICATION FOR ASSIGNMENT OF AUTHORIZATION ACCEPTED FOR FILING:

Upon initial review, the following assignment application has been accepted for filing. The Commission, however, reserves the right to return this application if, upon further examination, it is determined that the application is defective or not in conformance with the Commission's Rules and requirements. Final action will not be taken on this application earlier than 31 days following the date of this notice.

Copies of the application are available for inspection in Room 702 at 1919 M Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20554. For further information, contact Laura Gallo at (202)418-1600.

BMDAL970422SH. Application for authority to assign the authorization for the Rochester, Minnesota BTA (B378), and stations KNSC482 and KNSC483 at Rochester, Minnesota, from from USA WIRELESS II, INC. to CS WIRELESS SYSTEMS, INC.



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The COMMISSION took the following actions on Mass Media Bureau Multipoint Distribution Service applications:

MULTIPOINT DISTRIBUTION SERVICE (SINGLE & MULTICHANNEL)

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ACTIONS TAKEN:

File Number Applicant

Channel Primary Service Area

50980-CM-P-95 (WGX394) DCT COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

(channel 2) ANAHEIM, CA

Application for CONDITIONAL LICENSE Dismissed without prejudice at applicant's request 05/13/1997.

Application appeared on public notice dated 08/30/1995.